

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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For: A METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR FACILITATING A DETERMINATION OF A LINEAR DIMENSION OF AN OBJECT FROM AN IMAGE OF THE OBJECT

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Please amend the specification as follows:

Page 1, after the title insert the heading

**BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION**

after the fifth paragraph insert the heading

**SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION**

Page 11, after the second paragraph insert the heading

**BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS**

Page 12, after the seventh paragraph insert the heading

**DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION**